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MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted]

We do not have a copy of NSAM #88 in our files. However, [redacted] advises me that he has a copy in his office. After you have noted, I will send a copy down to [redacted] and ask him to see that appropriate coordination with the Department of State is accomplished ~~on~~ in conjunction with the action State Department has been assigned.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

31 October 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR

THE SECRETARY OF STATE
THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

It is proposed to issue a National Security Action Memorandum along the lines of the attached draft. In view of the fact that this problem area impinges on several departmental programs, your comments or concurrence are requested for consideration in preparing the final memorandum.

Bromley Smith
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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NATIONAL SECURITY ACTION MEMORANDUM ~~No. 111~~

TO: The Secretary of State

SUBJECT: Training for Friendly Police and Armed Forces in Counter-Insurgency, Counter-Subversion, Riot Control and Related Matters

The President has noted the reports received in response to NSAM No. 88 and requests that you make a continuing review in collaboration with the Secretary of Defense and the Director of Central Intelligence, of the over-all problem of United States support of friendly police and armed forces and their training in riot control, counter-subversion, counter-insurgency, and related operations. Such review should encompass general United States policies, the assignment of departmental responsibilities, and the general size and scope of United States programs. The general object should be to clarify and strengthen these policies and programs while minimizing duplication and conflicts.

The President further requests that you give him periodic reports on the results of the review, with recommendations of policy and courses of action included as appropriate. Latin America should be the first area covered by the review.

To the extent necessary, you should coordinate the review with National Security Action Memorandum No. 56 on the evaluation of paramilitary requirements, with the MAP and foreign aid programs, and with previous Overseas Internal Security Program reviews.

McGeorge Bundy

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November 8, 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. McGEORGE BUNDY
THE WHITE HOUSE

Subject: Proposed National Security Action Memorandum on Training for Friendly Police and Armed Forces in Counter-Insurgency, Counter-Subversion, Riot Control and Related Matters

This will acknowledge Bromley Smith's memorandum of October 31, 1961, enclosing the draft of a proposed National Security Action Memorandum on training of friendly police and military in counter-insurgency, counter-subversion, riot control and related matters. The Department concurs in the text of the proposed NSAM and recommends that it be issued as written.

In the above connection, the Department's forthcoming counter-subversion survey of South America (see Circular Telegram 855, of November 4, 1961, attached) will form the basis of the first report.

/s/ Melvin L. Manfull

L. D. Battle
Executive Secretary

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Attachment:
(Original only)

Department's Circular
Telegram 855, November 4, 1961.

cc: The Secretary of Defense
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